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Welcome to the August 2009 edition of the Radio HF Internet Newsletter.
I want to make a promise to all of you right off the top of the Newsletter this month. The Radio HF Internet Newsletter will be a MICHAEL JACKSON FREE ZONE! Isn't it ridiculous how much press and media coverage Jackson's death is receiving? And it is far from over. This story will drag on probably for years. I personally believe that the passing of Walter Cronkite deserved much more coverage. I promise you that there will be no time spent by me subjecting you to any links about Mr. Jackson!

I just wanted to give you a final tally on our 2009 Baillie Birdathon fundraiser for Bird Studies Canada. Thank you again to those subscribers who supported our cause again this year. You know who you are! With your help my wife and I were able to raise a total of $2113.50 (Canadian) in pledges this year. We, and the birds, thank everyone who contributed. We'll be at it again next May.

Now, let's get on with the business at hand.

Our Monthly Special Zone features sites dealing with the Woodstock Music Festival marking its 40th anniversary this year, the Sturgis Motorcycle Rally, the Hiroshima & Nagasaki atomic bombings and the United Nations International Youth Day.

Our virtual voyage around the world in the Where in the World Zone takes us south-east Asia and a visit to Singapore. The Republic of Singapore, is an island city-state located at the southern tip of the Malay Peninsula, lying 137 kilometres (85 mi) north of the equator, south of the Malaysian state of Johor and north of Indonesia's Riau Islands. At 710.2 km2 (274.2 sq mi),[7] Singapore, a microstate and the smallest nation in Southeast Asia, is orders of magnitude larger than Monaco and Vatican City, the only other surviving sovereign city-states.

Enjoy the summer but please take a moment or two to send along some of your favourite websites which you think our readers would enjoy visiting.

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THE CONTRIBUTORS ZONE

Thanks to our 8 contributors this montha nice turnout. Let's hear from more of you in the months ahead.

Gord Charland, Ottawa, Ontario
Eric Cottrell, Lynn, Massachusetts
Russ Edmunds, Blue Bell, Pennsylvania
Robert Ellis, Beaconsfield, Quebec
Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec
John Legett, Claremore, Oklahoma
Jerry Proc, Toronto, Ontario
Elmer Standish, Courtenay, British Columbia

THE MONTHLY SPECIAL ZONE

1969 WOODSTOCK FESTIVAL & CONCERT

http://www.woodstock69.com/

This site captures the feel of the time, mid-1969. The page offers a collection of Woodstock Facts, Figures, Stories, Photos, Current Happenings, Memorabilia, Links, and Assorted Tidbits, all.assembled to give you a clearer picture of an event that reshaped Music and Society. As the song says "What a long strange trip it's been".

WOODSTOCK STORY

http://www.woodstockstory.com/

Woodstock Story offers a compilation of compelling and in-depth coverage of the concert utilizing the best information available on the web. From the Woodstock festival itself to the events in 1969 surrounding it, the aim of the site is to explore the spirit of Woodstock and offer a closer look into the legendary playlist of Woodstock 1969. See the series of events, bands, and Woodstock people that changed the world.

STURGIS MOTORCYCLE RALLY

http://www.sturgismotorcyclerally.com/

The Sturgis Motorcycle Rally is an American motorcycle rally held annually in Sturgis, South Dakota, each first full week of August.

ATOMIC ARCHIVE TALE OF TWO CITIES, HIROSHIMA & NAGASAKI

http://www.atomicarchive.com/History/twocities/index.shtml

August 6 and August 9 mark the anniversaries of the dropping of atomic bombs by the United States on the Japanese cities of Hiroshima and Nagasaki in 1945.

UNITED NATIONS INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY

http://www.un.org/esa/socdev/unyin/iyouthday.htm

To commemorate the Day, young people (11 to 25) from all around the world can submit photographs and drawings to participate in a global photography competition "Shoot Nations". A selection of photographs will be presented to the United Nations and displayed at UN Headquarters from 3-14 August in commemoration of International Youth Day.

THE AUGUST ZONE

Each month we feature the monthly page from Wikipedia, the free, on-line encyclopaedia. The page features an overview of the month, plus background and general information on the month itself. The actual monthly calendar, clickable day by day, gives a list of special events in history, famous birthdays, anniversaries, etc. for each day. Here is the link for the month of August.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/August

Also, here are some special days and events in August.

MONTHLY CELEBRATIONS

National Inventors' Month
What Will Be Your Legacy Month

WEEKLY CELEBRATIONS

2 8 Single Working Women's Week
9 15 Assistance Dog Week
16 22 National Aviation Week
25 31 Be Kind to Humankind Week

SPECIAL DAYS

1 Respect for Parents Day
2 Sister's Day
3 to 9 Sturgis Motorcycle Rally
4 Coast Guard Day
5 6 Lunar Eclipse
6 Bolivia, Independence Day
6 Atomic Bomb Dropped on Hiroshima: Anniversary (1945)
9 Atomic Bomb Dropped on Nagasaki: Anniversary (1945)
10 Ecuador, Independence Day
12 United Nations International Youth Day
14 Navajo Nation: Navajo Code Talkers Day
15 Best Friend's Day
15-18 40th Anniversary of 1969 Woodstock Music Festival
19 National Aviation Day
25 Uruguay, Independence Day
26 Women's Equality Day

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

3 7 Psychic Week
8 16 Elvis Week

12 Vinyl Record Day
26 National Dog Day

Sources:
Chase's Calendar of Events 2009

VIA

http://espanol.ucanr.org/Calendario/August_2009.htm

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NEW FROM YAESU
YAESU FT-7900R DUAL BAND MOBILE TRANSCEIVER

The FT-7900R provides 50 Watts of power on the 144 MHz band, and 40 Watts on the 430 MHz, and is designed for simplicity of operation along with high performance in the receiver section. The FT-7900R is ideal for the active Ham who has a need for simplex, repeater, or FM satellite operation on both bands, but without the complication of cross-band repeat capability, which is available on our FT-8800R and FT-8900R models.
The FT-7900R provides receiver coverage from 108 to 520 MHz, and 700 to 999.99 MHz (cellular blocked), so you have available a wide range of monitoring excitement, including AM Aircraft, Public Safety, Government, Business, and, of course, Amateur communications. The synthesizer steps appropriate for the operating band are automatically selected, too!

For complete information on this Yaesu product, please visit Yaesu's page on the FT-7900R at:

http://www.yaesu.com/indexVS.cfm?cmd=DisplayProducts&ProdCatID=106&encProdID=2804F70E1A8F3C4B638CB8E0F201158C&DivisionID=65&isArchived=0

This and all other Yaesu products are available from Radio HF. Please contact Radio HF for pricing and availability.

WHERE IN THE WORLD ZONE
THIS MONTH SINGAPORE

C.I.A. WORLD FACTBOOK SINGAPORE

https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/sn.html

WIKIPEDIA SINGAPORE

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Singapore

SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT DIRECTORY

http://www.sgdi.gov.sg/

RADIO STATION WORLD SINGAPORE

http://radiostationworld.com/Locations/Singapore/radio_websites.asp

This is a listing of radio broadcasting stations in Singapore with links to station websites.

ONLINE NEWSPAPERS SINGAPORE

http://www.onlinenewspapers.com/singapor.htm

TV STATIONS IN SINGAPORE

http://www.asiawaves.net/singapore-tv.htm

THE RADIO ZONE

NOSTALGIA AIR

http://www.nostalgiaair.org/

VIA Elmer Standish, Courtenay, British Columbia

This page features online antique and vintage radio references, free online schematics, manuals, tube data, references and more!

THE MERCURY THEATRE ON THE AIR

http://www.mercurytheatre.info/

VIA Gord Charland, Ottawa, Ontario

The finest radio drama of the 1930's was The Mercury Theatre on the Air, a show featuring the acclaimed New York drama company founded by Orson Welles and John Houseman. The show is famous for its notorious War of the Worlds broadcast, but the other shows in the series are relatively unknown. This site has many of the surviving shows, and will eventually have all of them.

NATIONAL RADIO DATA

http://www.nationalradiodata.com/index.jsp

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

National Radio Data is an on-line subscription-based provider of nationwide scanner frequencies, trunked frequencies, ham radio, and mass media for DXing. National Radio Data also provides worldwide airport frequencies, civil aviation registry information, public service information, and more. Our 11+ gigabyte databases are updated regularly from the FCC, Canadian TAFL and other resources, ensuring the most accurate information possible. We provide numerous search capabilities so you can quickly find what you're looking for.

HAM RADIO DATA CENTRE

http://hamradiodatacenter.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This site offers free electronics schematics, circuits, datasheets, projects, technical articles and related products.

HOMEBREW ANTENNA LINKS

http://www.repeater.org/links/links2/antprojects.htm

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

If you like antennas, grab something to drink and a snack. You're going to be here for a while! This page has links, alphabetically listed, to hundreds of sites features antennas of all types, for various purposes. Enjoy!

D-STAR USERS

http://www.d-starusers.org/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This page is your source for all types of D-Star Digital Amateur radio information, including station spots, maps and repeater directories.

D-STAR DIGITAL RADIO INFORMATION PAGE

http://www.comfac.com/SMCARA/DSTAR.htm

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

D-STAR stands for 'Digital Smart Technologies for Amateur Radio'. It is an open-standard digital voice and data protocol developed by the Japan Amateur Radio League. It is the first digital protocol that has been widely accepted around the world and is fully supported by a major amateur radio equipment manufacturer (ICOM). There is a wealth of information available on the Internet that you can read to get updated on this neat new technology. This page provides a few links that offer a better glimpse into how it works in the real world:

THE ORDNANCE TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE MUSEUM RADIO INDEX & RADIO EQUIPMENT LINKS

http://wlhoward.com/radios/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The main purpose of the museum is to preserve the history of the U.S. Army's Technical Intelligence History and the history of our scientific intelligence efforts. It covers the full spectrum from the battlefield recovery of captured material, the analysis of the items and then to its use for training troops, research and development of new weapons and equipment, and the integration of the information into the intelligence cycle.

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PRYME RADIO PRODUCTS

For over 15 years PRYME Radio Products has been a leading manufacturer of high quality products to professional users of two-way radios. The Pryme product line serves many markets including public safety, police, fire, emergency services, tactical and hazmat professionals, Amateur radio, as well as industrial, commercial, hospitality and entertainment markets. Prymeprovides one of the most extensive and broad selections of Professional Grade audio accessory product lines in the world! They design and closely control the manufacture of all of their products. Most products meet or exceed Military Standard 810 and many have a 2 year warranty.

Radio HF is pleased to be a Canadian distributor for Pryme products, including the complete line of amateur radio antennas, microphones, speaker mics, headsets, as well as some unique handheld transceivers.

To review the complete Pryme product catalog, please visit their catalog webpage at

http://www.prymestore.com/shop/

Please contact Radio HF for Canadian pricing and availability of all Pryme products.

THE GENERAL ZONE

INTERNET ARCHIVE

http://www.archive.org/index.php

VIA Russ Edmunds, Blue Bell, Pennsylvania

The Internet Archive is a 501(c)(3) non-profit that was founded to build an Internet library, with the purpose of offering permanent access for researchers, historians, and scholars to historical collections that exist in digital format. Founded in 1996 and located in the Presidio of San Francisco, the Archive has been receiving data donations from Alexa Internet and others. In late 1999, the organization started to grow to include more well-rounded collections. Now the Internet Archive includes texts, audio, moving images, and software as

well as archived web pages in our collections.

EDN ELECTRONICS DESIGN, STRATEGY, NEWS

http://www.edn.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

EDN.com is a comprehensive information source for the EOEM (electronics original equipment manufacturer) segment, providing in-depth technical information for electronics design engineers and news and strategic business insight for executives.

WE CHOOSE THE MOON

http://wechoosethemoon.org/

VIA Eric Cottrell, Lynn, Massachusetts

This neat website is doing a real-time simulation of the Apollo 11 mission that occurred 40 years ago.

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC HITLER"S STEALTH FIGHTER

http://news.nationalgeographic.com/news/2009/06/090625-hitlers-stealth-fighter-plane.html

VIA Jerry Proc, Toronto, Ontario

Top stealth-plane experts have re-created a radical, nearly forgotten Nazi aircraft: the Horten 2-29, a retro-futuristic fighter that arrived too late in World War II to make it into mass production.

THE CANADIAN AVENGER AIRCRAFT

http://jproc.ca/rrp/rrp3/avenger.html

VIA Jerry Proc, Toronto, Ontario

Now available is the second installment in my series on past and present Canadian anti-submarine aircraft. The Canadian Avenger is the featured aircraft with emphasis on the electronics suite. Soon to follow will be the Neptune. It is hoped that this document will help to expand our knowledge of an historical aircraft which had a starring role in the golden era of Canadian naval aviation. If anyone knows of former Avenger crew please forward this information to them since the research turned up a few unanswered questions.

ATLAS OBSCURA

http://atlasobscura.com/

VIA John Legett, Claremore, Oklahoma

This site features wondrous, curious, and bizarre locations around the world. The Atlas Obscura is a compendium of this age's wonders, curiosities, and esoterica. The Atlas Obscura is a collaborative project with the goal of cataloguing all the singular, eccentric, bizarre, fantastical, and strange out-of-the-way places that get left out of traditional travel guidebooks and are ignored by the average tourist. If you're looking for miniature cities, glass flowers, books bound in human skin, gigantic flaming holes in the ground, phallological museums, bone churches, balancing pagodas, or homes built entirely out of paper, the Atlas Obscura is where you'll find them.

JAY LENO'S GARAGE

http://www.jaylenosgarage.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Some of you may already know that NBC talk show host Jay Leno is an avid vintage car collector. Here is his personal webpage introducing you to his impressive collection.

RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE

WHAT'S NEW IN BOOKS & PUBLICATIONS FROM THE AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE, THE RADIO SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN, and other publishers?

More QRP Romps! - by Dave Ingram, K4TWJ
This book is designed for casual, serious and upcoming QRPers past, present and future. It's filled with details of today's popular QRP clubs, contents, rigs, kits, accessories and homebrew projects. In particular, the operating strategies and secrets for successful DXing is beneficial to high and low power operators alike. Get on top of the action!
88 pages. © 2009, Dave Ingram, K4TWJ
#0160 - $18.00 U.S. / $21.50 Canadian
Now Shipping!

RSGB IOTA Directory - 45th Anniversary Edition
Edited by Roger Balister, G3KMA and Steve Telenius-Lowe, 9M6DXX
Celebrating 45 Years of the IOTA (Islands on the Air)
The 45th Anniversary Edition of the IOTA Directory is your essential guide to participating in the Islands on the Air (IOTA) award program. Fully updated, it provides the complete, official listing of IOTA islands available, with the many recent changes. It inculdes details of the award rules, the IOTA contest, the IOTA honor roll, and fascinating reports of IOTA operations. A must-have for every island chaser!
128 pages. ©, 2009, published by Radio Society of Great Britain (RSGB). #0112 - $19.95 U.S. / $23.95 Canadian
Now Shipping!

Nifty E-Z Guide to PSK31 Operation - by Bernie Lafreniere, N6FN
Learn how to setup your station for PSK operation. Using the very popular DigiPan software as a basis, a simple approach is utilized for configuring your interface hardware, software and computer system. Separate chapters are devoted to the installation and setup of three different PC-to-radio interfaces. You'll also explore the pros and cons of building a home-brew interface or purchasing several types of commercial interfaces.
This book is designed to help you get PSK31 up and running quickly and easily. Light on theory, it concentrates on the practical issues of getting things connected and making PSK31 QSOs. With this step-by-step guide you'll experience the fun of PSK!
70 pages. © 2008, by Nifty Ham Accessories
(ISBN: 0-87259-037-0) #0370 - $12.95 U.S. / $15.50 Canadian
Now Shipping!

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http://www.radiohf.ca/publications.htm for a complete catalog of all books, publications and CD-Roms available

THE FUN & SERVICES ZONE

100 THINGS YOUR KIDS MAY NEVER KNOW ABOUT

http://www.wired.com/geekdad/2009/07/100-things-your-kids-may-never-know-about/

VIA Elmer Standish, Courtenay, British Columbia

There are some things in this world that will never be forgotten, the 40th anniversary of the moon landing for one. But Moore's Law and our ever-increasing quest for simpler, smaller, faster and better widgets and thingamabobs will always ensure that some of the technology we grew up with will not be passed down the line to the next generation of geeks. That is, of course, unless we tell them all about the good old days of modems and typewriters, slide rules and encyclopedias

ELVIS WEEK

http://www.elvisweek.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

For all those fans of the King, including those who think that he really isn't dead, Elvis Week 2009 is being celebrated this year from August 8 through the 16th in Memphis, Tennessee. You'll find everything you need to know here.

ELVIS IS ALIVE

http://www.elvis-is-alive.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The name says it all! I know I said I wouldn't talk about Michael Jackson in this Newsletter, but how long do you think it will take before a similar group pops up disputing the death of the so-called "King of Pop"? Maybe it's already out there. I haven't bothered to check.

DISCREET CONTRACTING

http://discreetcontracting.com/home.htm

VIA Robert Ellis, Beaconsfield, Quebec

We'll leave this one up to you to determine if it is legitimate or not. Be sure to read the "About Us" page. They did some work for me but I and they cannot tell you about it!

THE 2009 HAMFEST/FLEAMARKET ZONE

Each month we list upcoming events, including hamfests, predominantly in Canada. NOTE: All times quoted are local. (Compiled by Vernon Ikeda VE2QQ, Pierrefonds, Quebec and Radio Amateurs of Canada)

Friday, August 14 - Saturday, August 15
MARMFEST (Manitoba Amateur Radio Museum Hamfest) - Austin, Manitoba
Location: The Heritage Building on the grounds of The Manitoba Agricultural Museum, 75 miles west of Winnipeg then south 1 mile on Highway 34 or 50 miles east of Brandon then south 1 mile on Highway 34
Friday Registration: 16h00-18h00 - Saturday Registration: 08h30-13h00
Flea Market - Vendors 10h30 - public at 11h30
Registration 7.00$ - Flea market tables 5.00$
Talk-in: VE4MTR 146.910 (-) - Food concessions on site, Supper Saturday night. See the web page for more information for activities and schedule.
Information: David Syndal, VE4XN at (204)-728-2463
E-mail: dsnydal@...
Web page: http://www.mts.net/~holderr/marm.htm

Saturday, August 15
Brantford Hamfest 2009 - Burford, Ontario
Location: Burford Fair Grounds, 6 Park Avenue, South of Highway 53 (County Road 253), Burford, Ontario
Pre-paid Vendors at 07h00, other vendors at 07h30 and General Admission at 09h00
Tables: $8.00 plus $6.00 admission. - Tailgaters: $5.00 plus $6.00 admission - General Admission: $6.00
Pre-paid vendors at 07h00 - tailgaters at 07h30 and public at 09h00 Talk-in: VE3TCR 147.150 (+)
Information: Alan Stansbury VE3MWX (519)-519-756-8748 or (519)-756-4273
E-mail at ve3mwx@...
Web page: http://www.ve3ba.com/Hamfest2009Flyer.pdf

Saturday, September 12
Ottawa Amateur Radio Club 10th Annual Hamfest. - Carp, Ontario
Location: Carp Agricultural Fair Grounds, 3970 Carp Rd (Ottawa Road 5) at Falldown Lane, Carp, ON
Vendors - 08:00 Tailgaters - 08:00 General Public - 10:00 to 13:00
General Admission 6.00$ Tables 12.00$ plus admission Tailgaters 5.00$ plus admission.
Talk-in: VE2CRA 146.940 (-) CTCSS/Pl 100.0 hz
Information/reservations - Ed Sich, VE3WGO
E-mail: fleamarket@...t
Web Page: http://www.oarc.net/fleamarket/index.html
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Saturday, September 12
Barrie Fleamarket - Barrie, Ontario
Location:Oro-Medonte Fairgrounds, Barrie, ON
Vendors 07h00, Public 07h00
Admission: Vendors Tables $15.00 Public $5.00 Tailgaters $10.00
Talk-in: VE3LSR 146.850 (-) CTCSS 156.7
E-mail: ve3odr@...
Webpage: http://www.barriearc.com/Hamfest/hamfest.htm

Saturday, September 19
West Island Amateur Radio Club Fall Auction
Location: Karnak Shiners Hall, 3350 Boulevard des Sources,
Dollard des Ormeaux, QC.
08:00 Open to Vendors; 09:00 Open to Public; 09:30 Auction Starts.
General admission $5.00
Tables $15.00 (includes 1 admission)
Talk-in: VE2RWI 146.910 (-) no CTCSS tone on input
Information: ve2cwi@... or ve2klf@...
Web: http://shell.pubnix.net/~wiarc/hamfest.htm
RADIO HF WILL BE THERE
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Saturday, September 26
Drummondville Amateur Radio Club Hamfest, Drummondville, QC
Centre Claude-Nault, 480, rue Lessard
Access by Autoroute 55, Exit 116 (route 139)
GPS Coordinates 72° 25.356' W 45° 49.786' N
Vendors: 7 am; Public 9 am
Information : Omer Laperle VE2OML
Tel: 819-478-0478
Talk-in: VE2RDL 146.625 (110.9)
Web: http://www.raqi.ca/ve2crd/hamfest/index.html
RADIO HF WILL BE THERE

Sunday, September 27
London Amateur Radio Club 32nd Annual Fleamarket - London, Ontario
Location: Western Fair Grounds, Special Events Building - Vendors 07h30 - Public 09h00
Admission: General Admisssion $6.00 - Tables $10.00 / Talk-in VA3LON 147.060 (+) ctcss 114.8
Information: Ann Rundle, VA3EOR at 519-238-1542
E-mail: LARChamfest@...
Web page: http://www.larc.ca/flea_current_flyer.pdf

*****RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE*****

RADIO HF GIFT CERTIFICATES

Gift certificates are a great idea if you're not sure what that special person is looking for. Radio HF is offering gift certificates available in any denomination. Please contact Radio HF for details.

RADIO H.F. NATURE BOOKS DIVISION

The Radio H.F. Nature Division offers hundreds of specialty books in the fields of birding, animals, plants, etc. A complete listing of the titles is available on the new Radio H.F. web page at http://www.radiohf.ca/ Simply click on the Canada goose!

THE RESOURCES ZONE

The following is a listing of clubs, groups, radio broadcasts and other resources that may be of interest to you.

THE CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DX CLUB (CIDX)

CIDX is Canada's national radio monitoring club, serving radio hobbyists since 1962. Our monthly newsletter, MESSENGER, now published electronically, covers all aspects of the radio monitoring hobby.

SPECIAL OFFER: To all Radio HF Internet Newsletter subscribers, a FREE sample of our monthly CIDX electronic newsletter, MESSENGER, (in .PDF format) is available to you for the asking. Just send along an e-mail to cidxclub@..., with a valid return e-mail address and you'll receive your copy by return e-mail. Our August edition, an incredible 79 pages, is now available. Membership, at the low cost of $10 per year, is open to radio hobbyists worldwide.

Please visit the CIDX web page at http://www.cidx.ca

PRIME TIME SHORTWAVE

Prime Time Shortwave is a listing of English shortwave broadcast that are updated on a weekly basis by webmasters Daniel Sampson and Ernest Riley. The schedules are constantly updated from various print and internet sources as well as from monitoring by the webmaster and other shortwave listeners and DXers. The shortwave schedules are available by time, country and frequency format. Also, they are available in ASCII, DBase, Excel and PalmOS formats (Dan Lyddy creates the PalmOS file). You will also find links to some of the best radio related websites and to the international broadcasters and time conversion charts (some provided by Craig Braun). Please visit the Prime Time Shortwave webpage at

http://www.primetimeshortwave.com/

THE INTERNATIONAL RADIO REPORT

The International Radio Report, now in its 21st year on CKUT-FM, 90.3 FM in Montreal, is available via the Internet live streaming, and on the airwaves of CKUT, Sunday mornings at 10:30 AM Eastern (1430 UTC). The show's co-hosts, Janice and Steve Karlock, present a weekly half-hour of news, information and developments in radio broadcasting. Visit the CKUT web page for full CKUT programming:

http://www.ckut.ca

You may listen to archived editions of the programme through the CKUT web site. Send your comments or questions to the International Radio Report, by e-mail, to radioreport@...

RADIO CANADA INTERNATIONAL

Radio Canada International is Canada's shortwave broadcaster. The broadcast schedules for March 29 to October 25, 2009 are posted on the Schedules and Frequencies page of the RCI webpage at the following address:

http://www.rciviva.ca/rci/en/horaires.shtml

You will also find the schedules for three 24-hour per day satellite channels on the HotBird satellite (Europe/North Africa/Middle East), the RCI Plus channel on Sirius Satellite Radio and the live RCI Viva service available on the website. Stay in touch with Canada via Radio Canada International.

That is all for this month. Radio H.F. is a mail order, telephone and on line business, with great products, great prices, and personalized service, serving the radio community since 1995. Be sure to visit the Radio H.F. web site at

http://www.radiohf.ca

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